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REMARKS / DISCUSSION OF ISSUES

Claims 1-19 are pending in the application. Claims 15-19 are newly added.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to state whether the drawings are acceptable.

Claims 2, 4, 6, and 8 are amended for non-statutory reasons: to correspond to the amended terminology in claims 1, 3, 5, and 7, and to correct one or more informalities. The claims are not narrowed in scope and no new matter is added.

The Office action rejects claims 1, 3, 5, and 7 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over George (USP 6,606,130), and objects to claims 2, 4, 6, and 8 as being allowable but dependent upon these rejected claims. The applicant respectfully traverses this rejection.

In each of claims 1, 3, 5, and 7, the applicant claims receiving an output signal from each of at least two optical sensors located on opposing sides of a display screen, combining the output signals to form an adjustment measure, and adjusting the raster based on the adjustment measure.

George does not teach combining signals from sensors located on opposing sides of a display screen to form an adjustment measure; consequently, George does not teach using such an adjustment measure to adjust a raster. George processes the signal from each of the sensors independently. George specifically teaches moving a block M toward a sensor, adjusting a threshold with regard to that sensor, and then repeating the process with each other sensor. George is silent with regard to combining measurements from multiple sensors.

Because George does not teach or suggest adjusting a raster based on an adjustment measure that is formed by combining the output signals from each of at least two optical sensors located on opposing sides of a display screen, as specifically claimed in each of claims 1, 3, 5, and 7, the applicant respectfully requests the Examiner's reconsideration of the rejection of claims 1, 3, 5, and 7

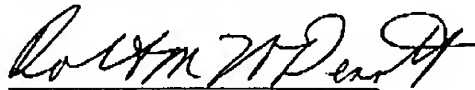
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under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over George, and respectfully requests the Examiner's reconsideration of the objection to claims 2, 4, 6, and 8.

In view of the foregoing, the applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner withdraw the objection(s) and/or rejection(s) of record, allow all the pending claims, and find the application in condition for allowance. If any points remain in issue that may best be resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,



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